

MB Docket No. 04-233, Comments in Response to Localism Notice of Proposed Rulemaking

Dear FCC Commissioners,

My name is Michael Briggs. I listen to K-Love 91.1 here in the Denver area.

I cannot begin to tell you what the beauty and purity of K-Love has done in my life. I am a Christian who has gone through some very rough times. Over and over again I have been given hope and encouragement and life changing messages through this station. I also play this station throughout the day—literally God's gift to me. From what I understand the current proposed changes would radically change this.

A Require Community Advisory Boards: One board overseeing all broadcasters in that area. Appointed individuals may be hostile to the Christian mission of my K-Love station. I need purity not pluralism, a place of safety that touches my deepest needs. That is K-Love and other Christian radio stations. My very deep needs in this area are important. There are many frequencies on the AM and FM dials. Many I find very offensive. To homogenize this in any way is to risk the very life sustaining support that K-Love and Christian radio gives not only to me, but to millions of listeners across our Nation.

B. As a Christian, I want to see as many of my brothers and sisters in Christ as well as others who could benefit from this programming in their hours of need given the opportunity to listen to this life changing message. The priority given to local Low Power FM stations over translator stations would diminish the strength of the K-Love and other Christian networks to serve the Christian community in the Nation.

C. I understand that there would be considerable cost increases to radio if some of the other proposals are put in place. I ask that you carefully consider putting additional cost burdens on these radio stations whether it be increased regulatory costs in renewing their license or required manning of the station at all times.

Please, I beg of you. I have been inundated with filth on the airwaves. There are plenty of frequencies that provide other content. Please keep Christian

radio strong, pure, and available for my sake and the sake of millions of listeners around the country.

Sincerely,

Michael Briggs